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Federal Election Commission  
999 E Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: FEC Form 1: Atkinson for Congress

To the Commission:

Enclosed for filing is FEC Form 1, Statement of Organization, for Atkinson for Congress, the principal campaign committee of John M. Atkinson, a candidate for the United States House of Representatives for the Third Congressional District of Illinois in the election to be held in 2012. Mr. Atkinson's FEC Form 2, Statement of Candidacy, was filed yesterday.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by signing and dating the enclosed copy of this letter and returning it to me in the self addressed postage paid envelope provided.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



Michael C. Dorf

Enclosure

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